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MEMORANDUM FOR: OBGI Historical Officer

SUBJECT : Publication Approval for OBGI History  
Titled "Geographic Research Support to  
Scientific, Military, and Economic  
Intelligence, 1947-70"

1. The Historical Staff hereby approves publication of the OBGI history titled "Geographic Research Support to Scientific, Military, and Economic Intelligence, 1947-70" [redacted] This paper completes the series covering the main aspects of intelligence support provided [redacted] It is particularly useful because it points out the way the Agency's geographers adapted to changing emphases in the intelligence community, especially the increased stress on technological factors. 25X1A 25X1

2. A few additional changes will have to be made in the manuscript prior to its publication.

- a) The change of title should be reflected on page 1.
- b) The addition of inclusive dates in the title will necessitate some additional changes:
  - 1) In the Table of Contents, delete "FY" in entries II and III.
  - 2) Also in the Table of Contents, change 1948 to 1947 in entry II.
  - 3) Make corresponding changes on pages 8 and 31 of the text. 25X1

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- c) The cancellation of the proposed history of the [redacted] work on geodesy and gravimetry will require some revision of p 5 1 5-10.
- d) Some typographical errors remain to be corrected. These are listed in the Attachment.

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3. When the corrections have been completed, this history should be passed to Mr. King for his signature, signifying his approval of its publication. It should then be returned to the Historical Staff for reproduction, binding, and dissemination.

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Attachment

p 5 1 10	<u>Research</u>
p 10 1 8 up	Suggest changing "on" to "called"
p 15 1 7	committee
p 29 1 4 up	delete underlining under "produced"
p 29 1 2 up	add comma after "map"
p 36 1 3 up	change "of" to "for"
p 43 1 1	capitalize "Chiefs"
p 43 1 2 up	Zemlya
p 49 1 2	Suggest deleting comma after "gap" and adding "period" at end of line, i.e. during the "missile gap" period.
p 51 1 1	features
p 52 1 8	delete comma after "testing"
p 66 last line	add comma after "1960's"
p 76 1 3	add period after "below"
p 82 item 45	lower case <u>urban</u>
p 85 item 66	
p 88 item 81	capitalize " <u>Analogues</u> "
p 88 item 85	underline <u>Ibid.</u>
p 91 item 105	underline <u>Lop Nor</u>
p 92 item 107	Should this read "CIA/RR"?

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p 96 item 132      lower case transborder

p 100 item 161      Should line 3 read "Surveys: 1 - Report  
to Pres.?" (cf. item 109).

p 102 item 166      Maps should be listed in chronological  
order, i.e., 59649, Aug 68, 76530, Aug 69,  
76531, Nov 69.

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